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Title: Need to grant NOC for carrying out Hydrographic surveys in Kori Creek area of Kutch, Gujarat.

SHRI P.S. GADHAVI (KUTCH): Sir, I would like to draw the attention of the Central Government towards a very important issue concerning my constituency regarding NOC for carrying out Hydrographic survey and port activity in Kori Creek area at Kutch to set up port facilities. The Port and Transport Department, Government of Gujarat had *vide* their letter dated 16.08.07 requested Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India and BSF to allow the private companies to carry out their surveys and investigations in Kori Creek for development of port facilities by private companies cement industries. In its response the Director General, BSF, *vide* his letter dated 23.10.2007 requested P&TD, Government of Gujarat to approach the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India for obtaining NOC for carrying out Hydrographic survey and port activities in Kori Creek area. Accordingly, P&TD, Government of Gujarat *vide* its letter dated 30.11.2007 requested the Ministry of Home Affairs to grant NOC. Response of Government of India is still awaited.

Sir, I, therefore, urge upon the Government to expedite granting the NOC as quickly as possible.

MR. CHAIRMAN : Shri P.C.Thomas, you have given notice for a subject raised already by Ms. Sujatha. You cannot raise any other issue. So, you may associate with her.

...(*Interruptions*)

MR. CHAIRMAN: You have given notice for a matter raised by Ms. Sujatha. You can associate with her. But now you want to raise some other issue. It cannot be allowed. The issue you want raise, for that no notice has been given. Nothing will be recorded.

*(Interruptions) **

MR. CHAIRMAN: I cannot allow you. You can associate with Ms. Sujatha. You had given notice to raise that issue only. Now, you want to raise some other issue for which no notice has been given and thus I cannot allow you. [R89]

...(*Interruptions*)

MR. CHAIRMAN: You can only associate with Shrimati Sujatha.